Licensure by Examination

Please read the requirements below. If you would like an application, please send an email with your name and mailing address to asbp@arkansas.gov.

The **Licensure by Examination** application is used to verify that you have met all the criteria required by Arkansas to receive an original license by examination in Arkansas using your NAPLEX score. (This is a license that you may reciprocate from.) Please note that your NAPLEX score is only good for one year, therefore you must complete this process within one year of taking the NAPLEX. If you do not gain licensure by examination, you may apply for reciprocity **after** you have been licensed six months, but you will **not** receive an **original license**.

If you are an out of state graduate and wish to Score Transfer (transfer your NAPLEX score to Arkansas in order to receive an original license by exam), you will need to ask for a score transfer to Arkansas when you apply to take the NAPLEX. Providing you pass the exam and meet all other criteria, you will be eligible for an original license in Arkansas.

All applicants will need to complete a **Licensure by Examination** application. Your college of pharmacy must complete a portion of the application. You will also need to set up a time to take the Arkansas Jurisprudence Exam. (Arkansas does not utilize the MPJE). Please send an email to the above mentioned address to set up an appointment.

Once you have passed the NAPLEX, passed the Arkansas Jurisprudence Exam and submitted your **Licensure by Examination** application, you will then be eligible to apply for an Arkansas pharmacist license.